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In re Application of:

Jae Bum KIM, et al.

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For: BACKLIGHT DEVICE FOR LIQUID

CRYSTAL DISPLAY AND METHOD OF

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Examiner: Dung T. Nguyen

Mail Stop RCE

Commissioner for Patents
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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 28, 2006 (Paper No. 20060623), the period for response to which extends through July 28, 2006, Applicants respectfully state, as discussed in the phone conversations on July 6, 2006 and July 7, 2006, that while claim 41 is missing from the list of the claims, claim 41 was never filed. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully submit that a complete listing of all of the claims is present in the Amendment filed on March 7, 2006. Nonetheless, for the convenience of the Examiner, Applicants have made a correction to amendments to the claims, wherein "Claim 41 (canceled)" is added, as shown in attached Amendment with RCE. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment and consideration of the attached Amendment with RCE.

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Conclusion

Should the Examiner feel that there are any issues outstanding after consideration of this response, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative to expedite

prosecution.

If there are any other fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0310. If a fee is required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 not accounted for above, such an extension is requested and the fee should also be charged to our Deposit Account.

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## **AMENDMENT WITH RCE**

Applicants filed Request for Continued Examination (RCE) on April 6, 2006, and received a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 28, 2006. As a response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, the period for response to which extends through July 28, 2006, Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment and consideration of this Amendment with RCE.